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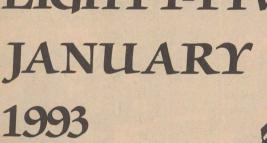
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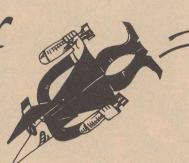
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#### INSIDE DOPE DEPT.

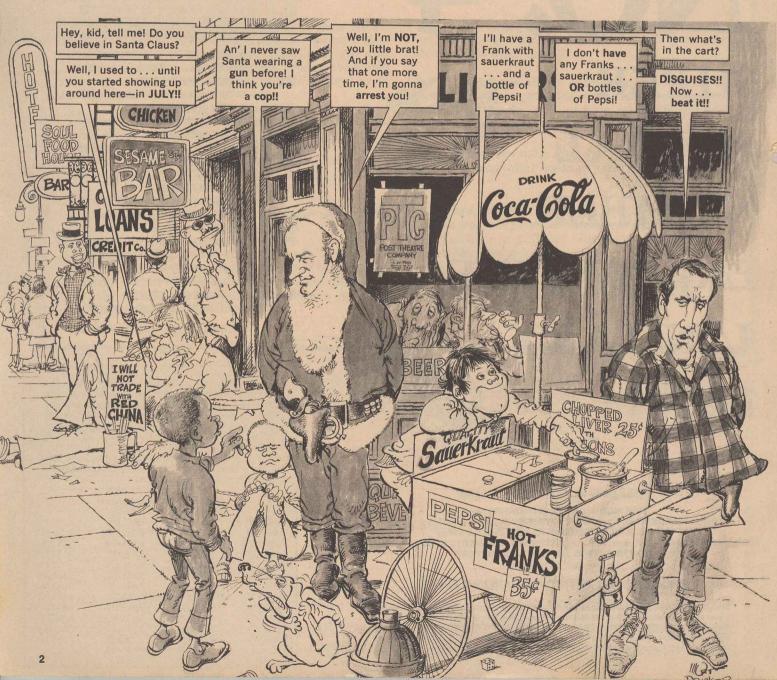
There's a great movie playing around. It's exciting, and full of action, and it's easy to watch. It's not one of those movies where you have to think! Or is it?? You certainly don't do any thinking during the movie. But after it's over, you're left with a couple of unanswered questions. In fact, everybody is left with a couple of unanswered questions. Take f'rinstance the guy who gets shot in the very first scenes:





Okay! So I walked around Marseilles! So this brown Mark III Lincoln Continental followed me! So I bought a French bread, and I bought a pizza, and I stepped into this doorway, and now I'm being—GAAAK!
—murdered! So after the picture is all over, maybe somebody will tell me . . .





## WHATSTHE CONNECTION?

ARTIST: MORT DRUCKER

WRITER: DICK DE BARTOLO









Well . . . I can't promise it will be as much fun as THAT—but let's give it a whir!

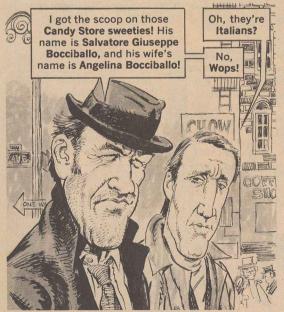
Gee, Cockeye, you're doing a great job of staying right on their tail!

No problem, Birdie! I tied our bumpers together!











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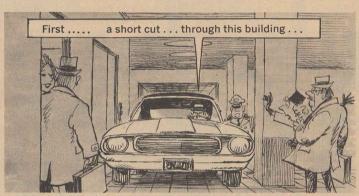


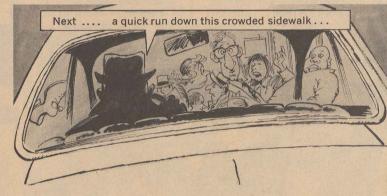
Boy, I sure wish they'd go back to Sniperland where they came from . . . those lousy Snipes! When you get finished with your ethnic slurs, you might chase him! He just ran up and got on the Elevated Train!

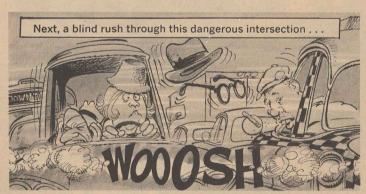


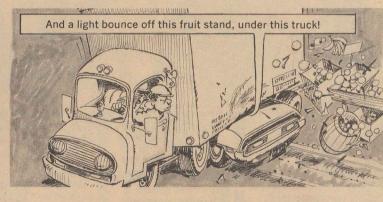
Aw, c'mon, guy! Take somebody else's car! I want to chase him! Tough! You had your chance in "Bullit"! Now it's my turn to drive like a crazy idiot!

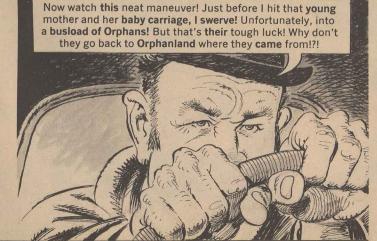


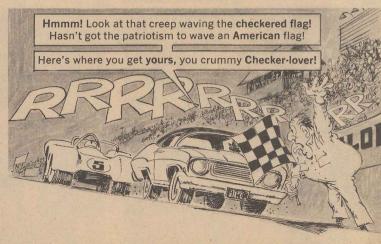




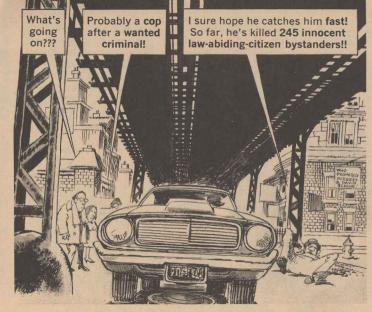






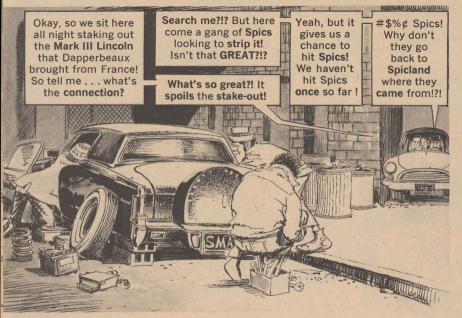


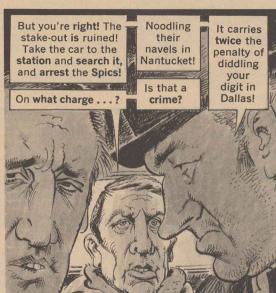




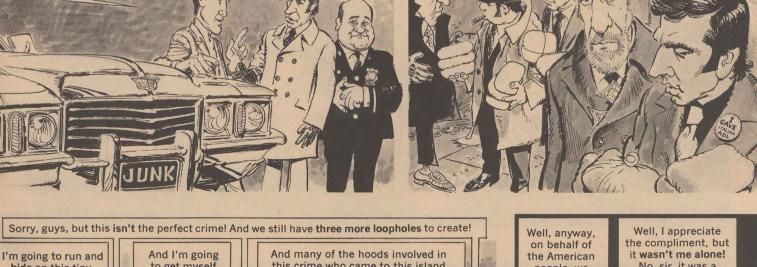


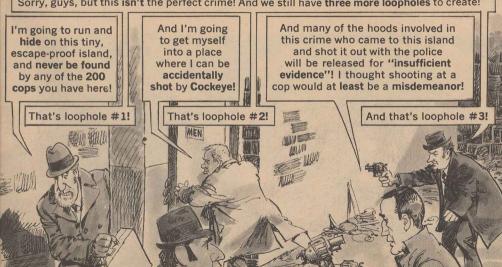












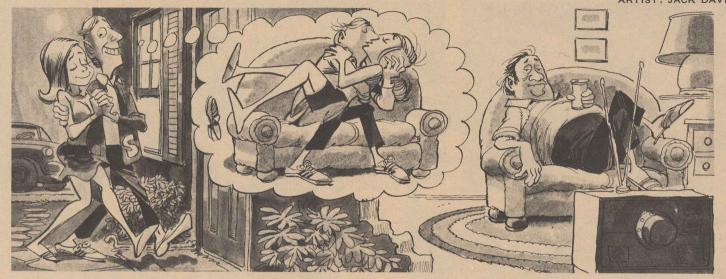
Well, anyway, on behalf of the American people, we want to thank you, Cockeye, for pursuing these criminals to the end! Well, I appreciate the compliment, but it wasn't me alone!
No, sir, it was a combination of guys . . . a regular potpourri of Dagos, Hebes, Fags, Spades, Polacks, Krauts . . .



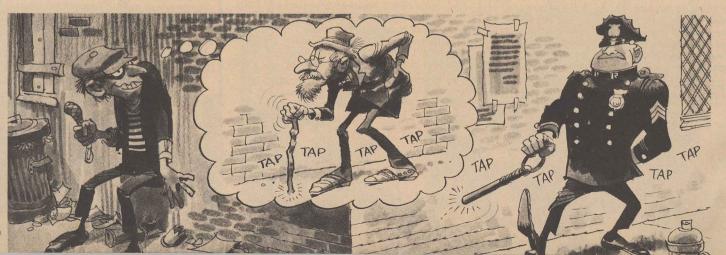
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ARTIST: JACK DAVIS





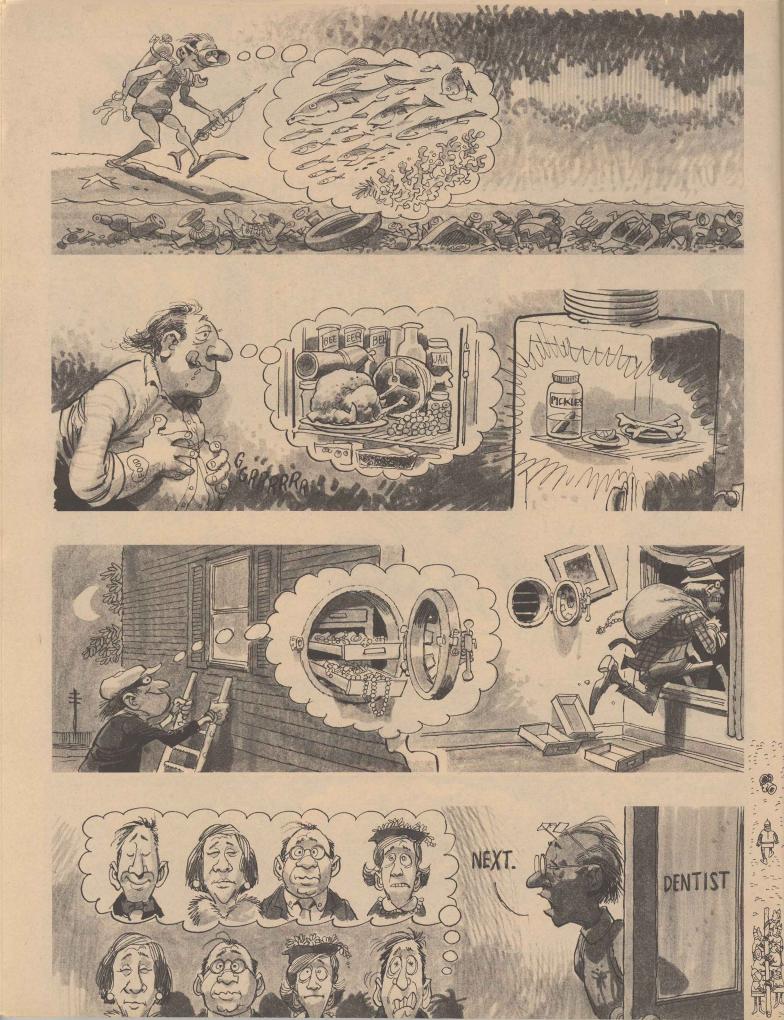


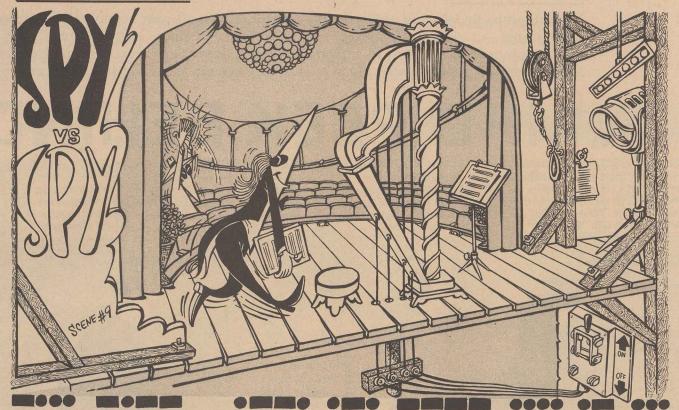


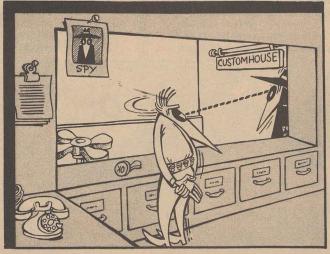






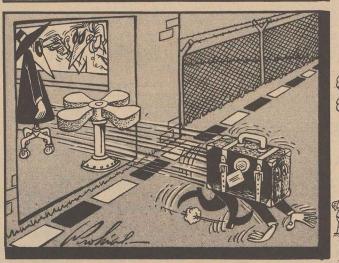








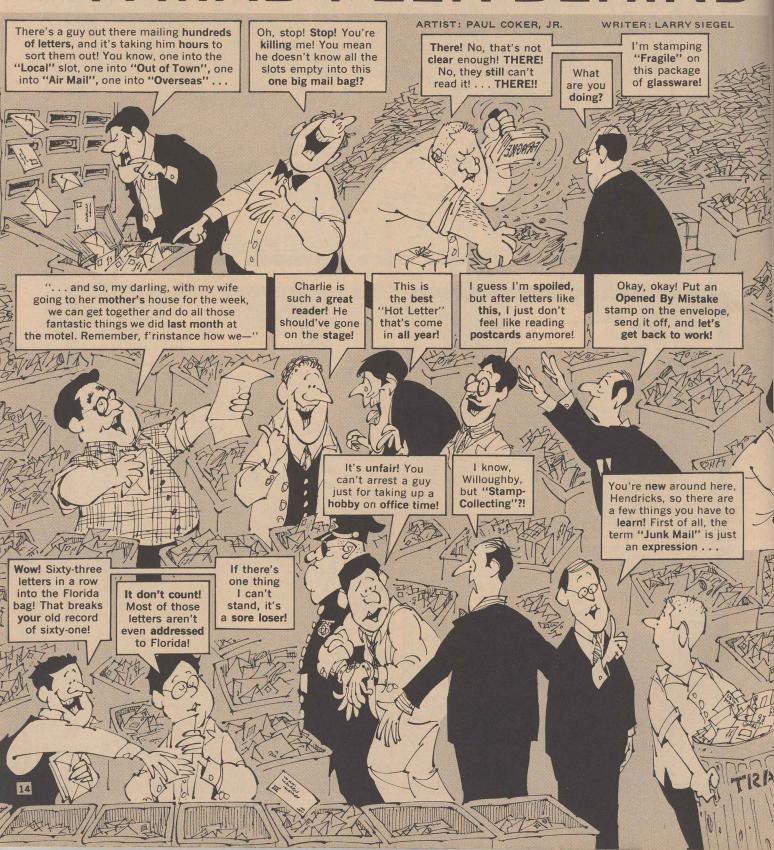




#### INSIDE-OUCH! DEPT.

You are probably laboring under the misconception that all your aggravation is caused by little things . . . like little store clerks and little salesmen and little civil servants. That's only part of the picture. Supermarkets and department stores and post offices are like icebergs. The people who aggravate you in these places are not just the ones you see.

#### A MAD PEEK BEHIND



They're only about 15% of the over-all picture. Actually, there are many other people working secretly and tirelessly behind the scenes to make your lives miserable. And so, in tribute to these un-seen and un-sung heroes, MAD introduces a new feature which opens up a hidden world never before seen by the average clod. In this first installment, we present:

#### THE SCENES AT THE POST OFFICE





#### WEARY OF RELATIVITY DEPT.

As Albert Einstein explained, Time is relative. Which means that, sometimes, Time passes faster or slower than other times. You find that hard to believe?

## TIME DRAGS...

#### TIME DRAGS...



... when you're waiting your turn on the roller coaster.

#### TIME FLIES...



... when you're on the ride.

#### TIME DRAGS...



...when you're waiting for your Mother in the Hat Department.

#### TIME DRAGS...



...when your football team is winning by only 2 points.

#### TIME FLIES...



...when your football team is losing by only 2 points.

#### TIME DRAGS...



... between being a child... and becoming a young adult.

#### TIME DRAGS...



... till her parents go out.

#### TIME FLIES...



... before they come back.

#### TIME DRAGS...



... between paychecks.



Well, notice how fast Time goes when you're enjoying yourself, as compared to how slow it passes when you're reading a dull article like this one, called . . .

## TIME FLIES...

ARTIST: JACK RICKARD

> WRITER: STAN HART

#### TIME FLIES...



#### TIME DRAGS...



...waiting for Xmas morning, so you can open your presents.

#### TIME FLIES...



... before they're all broken.

#### TIME FLIES...

for you in the Toy Department.



...between being a young adult ...and becoming an old adult.

#### TIME DRAGS...



...waiting for someone to get out of the bathroom.

#### TIME FLIES...



...before someone wants you to get out of the bathroom.

#### TIME FLIES...



... between bills.

#### TIME FLIES ...



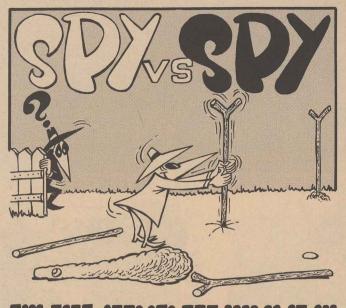
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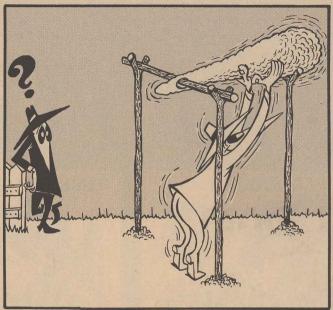
#### TIME DRAGS...



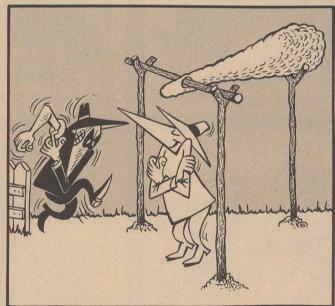
...when he's drilling your tooth.

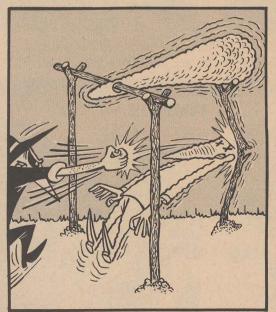
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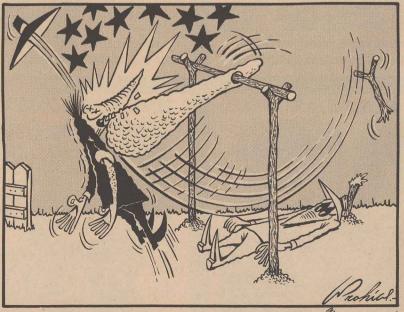












#### AMBIANCE CHASERS DEPT.

Has it ever struck you as peculiar that the restaurants which seem to be the most fashionably "in" are the very same ones that offer the shabbiest service and lousiest food at the highest conceivable prices? Well, it always struck us as peculiar, until one recent day when the mailman delivered a damaging little catalogue to the MAD office by mistake. Now, we suddenly understand how the whole beastly system works. It's all based on the assumption by owners of exclusive dining spots that we are a nation of incorrigible snobs, hopeless masochists and complete idiots. If you don't believe it, you really ought to get a look at this catalogue. Of course, you probably wouldn't be able to get one because it's full of horrifying trade secrets that laymen are never supposed to find out. So, in order to satisfy your curiosity and put you on your guard, here is . . .





**GUAGES** silence customer complaints what they asked for. Listed entrées are described in Albanian, Navajo and forever! After all, who can squawk high prices and mixed-up orders when patrons don't know whether they're getting all sheep brains or hog liver exotically MENUS IN OBSCURE FOREIGN LANabout your rotten food,

44287—GARBLED GARBAGE DINNER MENUS \$15.25 doz Nepalese.



tant price. Easy paste-on labels are snob appeal to customers who don't lows you to charge your usual exhorbiamply large enough to cover those of Help relieve our national balance of payments deficit while you're helping MPORTED WINE LABELS cost considknow what they're drinking anyway alany cheap domestic brand you serve. erably less than imported wine. yourself to enormous profits.

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this authentic looking display before serving them chocolate Twinkies at

\$1.75 each. Soap can be used later for your monthly linen laundering. 4866—SUDSY SWEETS...\$4.75 doz.

et patrons make their selections from

éclairs from dark brown laundry soap.

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ing kitchen window screens and proper insect control. That's why we've fashthese fake mocha tortes and

often draws flies in restaurants lack

bottles. (Available at extra cost.)
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energy. Namely the precious energy you'd waste dusting furniture and vacuuming car-pets if lights were bright enough for diners to see the filth. Dim illumination also pro-TWO-WATT LIGHT BULBS save precious vides more romantic atmosphere for paand more hiding places for waiters.

-DISMAL ELECTRIC "FAINT-GLO" 8149-DISMAL trons,



as all dipicted for at least five your walls with simulated adoration. Each photo is personally autographed by our experienced staff of forgery experts. Freedom PERSONALLY INSCRIBED CELEBRITY PHOTOS tell the world you cater to big shots. We supply pictures in one dozen lots to fill from lawsuits guaranteed, celebrities have been dead

4756—GENUINELY PHONY AUTOGRAPHED PICTURES \$9.75 doz. 4756-A—DE LUXE SET WITH FRAMES AND \$47.50 doz. PICTURE HOOKS

vears.



27388—"YUMMY DUMMY" BRAND FOOD

what they actually get.

SMELL (Large Cans) \$11.50 doz. (Specify aroma desired: Hickory Smoked Ribs, Broiled Lobster, Sweet & Sour Cantonese.)

think they smell, and minimize gagging on

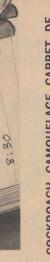




without complaint to buy expensive for all to see at a glance. Ideal for herding would be diners into the bar drinks as they beg for one of your PRE-FILLED RESERVATION BOOK enables you to impress newly arrived patrons while you keep them waiting. Prominent names of your imaginary clientèle printed in large, bold script many empty tables. 8755-BIG NAME-BIG

RESERVATIONS

RESERVATION BOOK \$11.95



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8:00 7:45

part of the rug pattern. Totally eliminates costly exterminator fees. May even convince keep your license, assuming they never go COCKROACH CAMOUFLAGE CARPET DEnto believing that real insects are merely Health Department inspectors to let you SIGN tricks even the most eagle-eyed diner into the kitchen.

4722—"EIGHT-LEGGED FRIENDS" BRAND CARPETING \$14.50 per square yd.



to tip him. These little horrors put more be squeezed behind kitchen doors, into rest room alcoves and similar nooks you once considered unusable. Handy 14-square-inch **FINY DINING TABLES** let your head waiter dole out fitting punishment to those who fail money in your pocket, too, as they can easily size lets you seat 200 in a dining room de-

1837—ITTY-BITTY DINING TABLES signed for 50.

CHAIRS FOR \$49.95 pr. \$69.95 ea. 1838-ODDLY WOBBLY ITTY-BITTY TABLES.

"RESERVED" signs placed on desirable signs are printed in large type with luminous ink for easy visibility, even when kitchen empty tables convince diners that they're ucky to be seated anywhere. High quality grease fires fill the room with smoke. 23738—ATTENTION GRABBER RESERVAseat them close to the kitchen for the convenience of your waiters. Boldly lettered STOP PATRONS FROM WHINING when you

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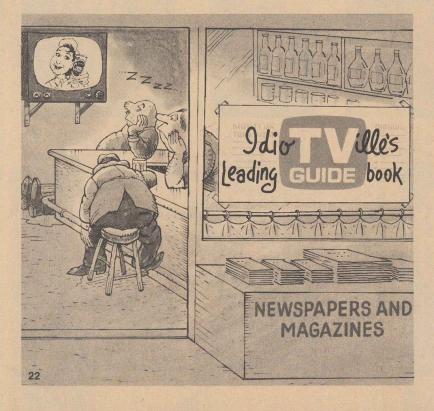
#### **ADD-VERTISING DEPT.**

Spray cans and magic markers are changing the face of America. Every day, new bits of irreverence are added to trains, buses, buildings, billboards and any other available public surface. We at

## TRADEMARK







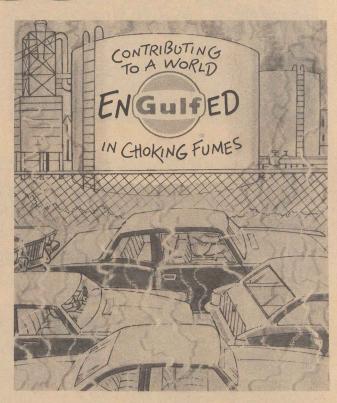


MAD shudder to think what might happen if those Graffiti Rascals ever started attacking that holy of holies, the Corporate Signature. Here are some of the horrors (heh-heh!) that could occur with

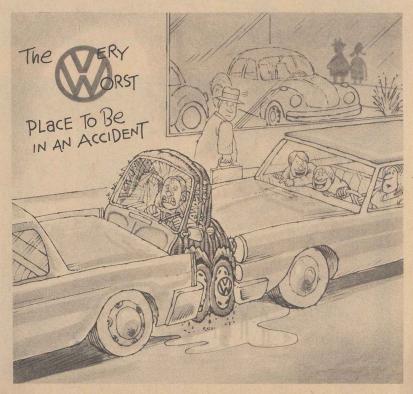
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ARTIST & WRITER:
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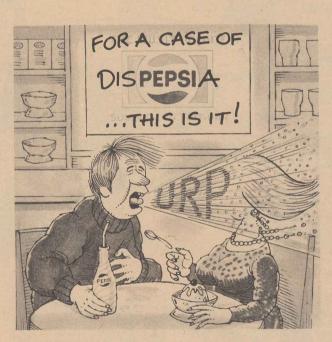




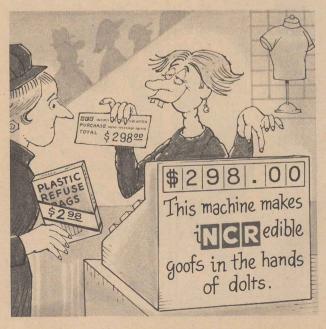




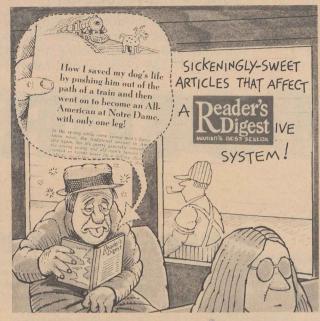






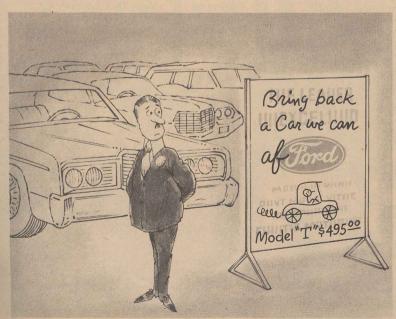














#### TUNE UP THE VOLUME DEPT.

Nowadays, the Producers of Broadway Musicals are chicken! They're scared stiff of taking chances on new and original stories. Instead, they prefer to play it safe—relying on material that's been

tried and proven—like adapting successful stories, novels and plays by world-famous authors. Witness such recent Musicals as "Oliver!" (Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens), "Baker Street" (Sherlock Holmes

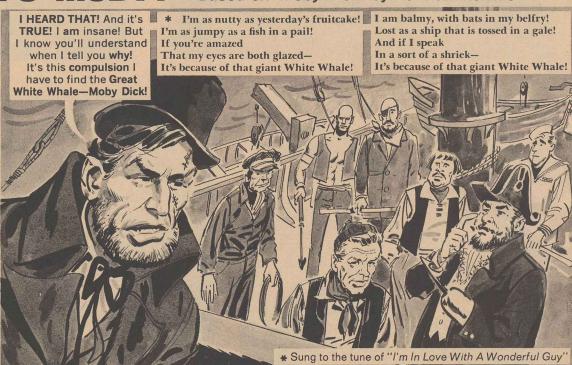
### FUTURE BROAD

#### BASED ON FAMOUS

"WHERE'S MOBY?"

OBY?" Based on "Moby Dick" by Herman Melville









The cowards!
They're all
afraid of
Moby Dick!
But it's
just as
well . . .

\* I have tried to find
Moby Dick before—
But I quickly learned it
was no easy trick before!
Now just look at me—
In the open sea
Face to face with the whale that I loo!



\*Sung to the tune of "On The Street Where You Live

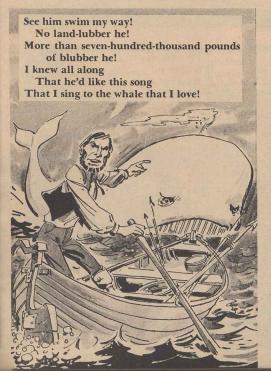
by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle), "West Side Story" (Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare), "My Fair Lady" (Pygmalion by George Bernard Shaw), Hello, Dolly" (The Matchmaker by Thornton Wilder), and so

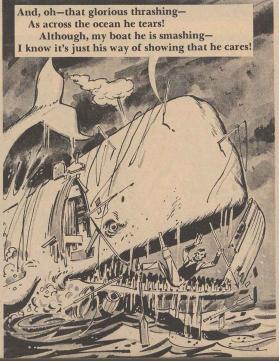
on and on. Obviously, if this sickening trend continues, we'll be seeing Musicals based on even more unlikely classics. To illustrate, let's follow the bouncing ball as MAD presents four examples of

## WAY MUSICALS LITERARY CLASSICS









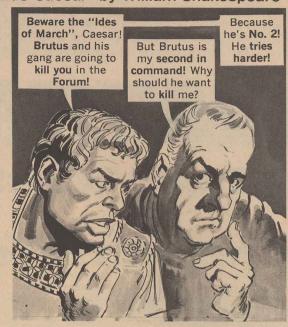


#### "CALL ME JULIUS" Based on "Julius Caes

\* Oh, Rome is our dream—

Beware the "Ides Because













#### "LOSE YOUR HEAD" Based on "A Tale of Two Cities" by Charles Dickens







Then I'll prove
I'm kind and good,
Like Charlie Dickens
Said I should!
Oh, can't you see
How happy he would be!



be delighted to let you die for me! object just a little?!

Why, that's

a great idea,

Sydney! I'll

Er ..

couldn't

you

Me and my stupid heroic gestures! Still . . . it does make for a rousing final chorus! \* Guill-o-tine!
We've got the nicest little
Guill-o-tine!
It does a job that's really
Neat and clean!
Sharp and keen!
It never makes an error!
And helps our Reign of Terror!

Guill-o-tine!
Come join the mob and you will
See just what we mean!
The blade is sharp, you bet!
It even beats Gillette!
You won't forget our
Guill-o-tine!



ANIMAL CRACK-UPS DEPT.

## A PORTFOLIO OF







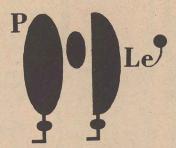
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Beeeee Beeee

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WRITTEN AND DESIGNED BY: MAX BRANDE

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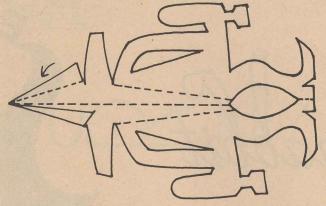
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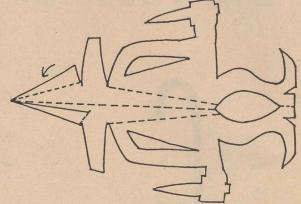
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## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAD'S SPY VS. SPYPLANES

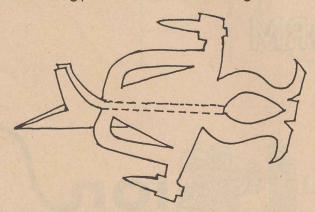
Destroy After Reading (Not Before, Idiot!)

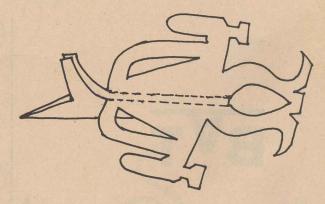
1. Very slowly and carefully punch out the perforated area marked "Cut Out This Area." Then, using scissors, carefully cut out the Spy and Hat-Brim shapes along the outlines. (If you are scissor impaired, let someone else do it for you!)





**2.** Fold over the nose flaps along the dotted lines, side A to A and B to B (both letters of school grades you've probably never received)! HINT: try using a ruler when folding planes to make folds straight!

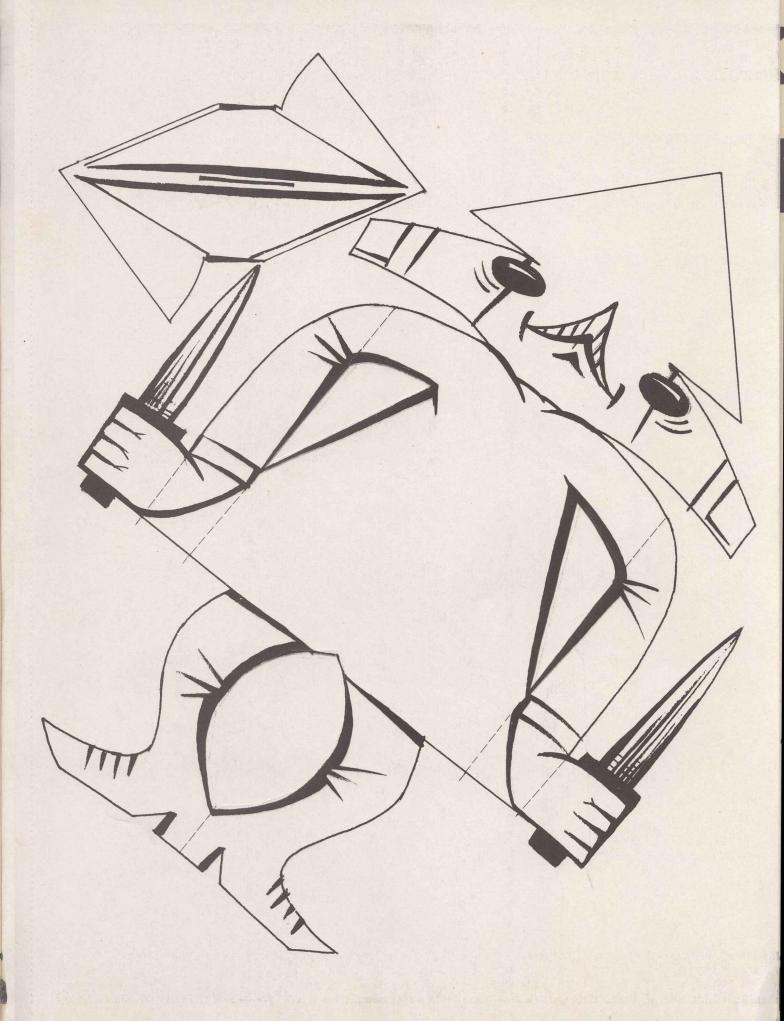


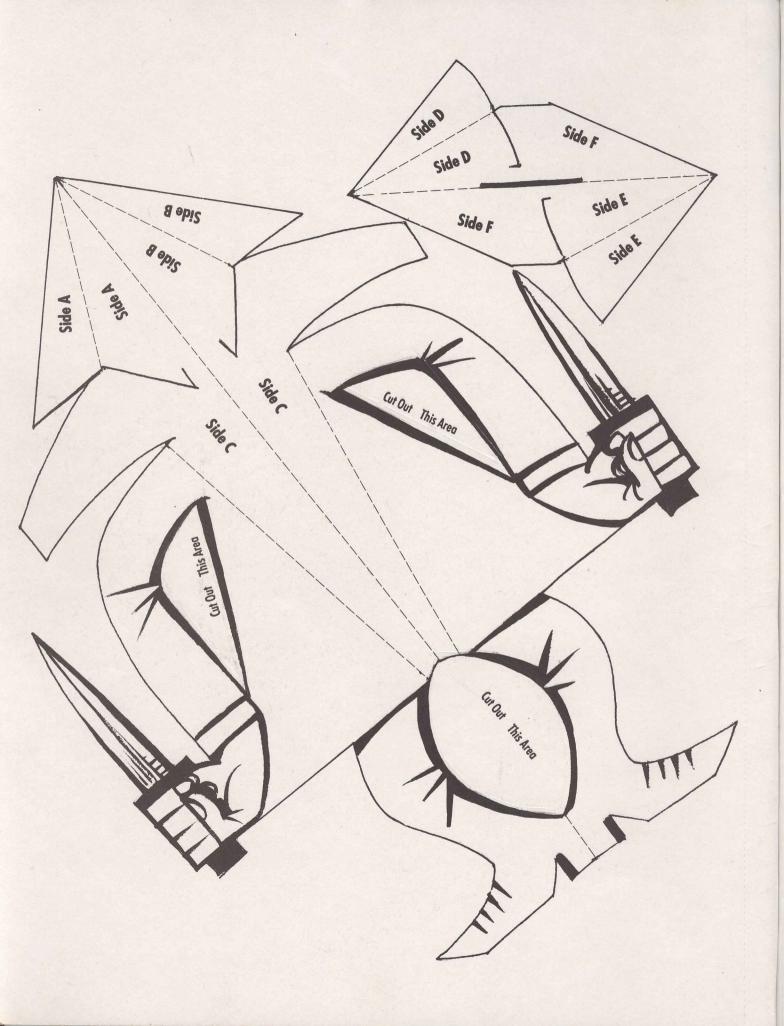


- 3. Fold the spy body along the center dotted line, side C to C.
- **4.** Using scissors (though not necessarily the same scissors used in step 1!), make a slot along the thick black line on the Hat-Brim.

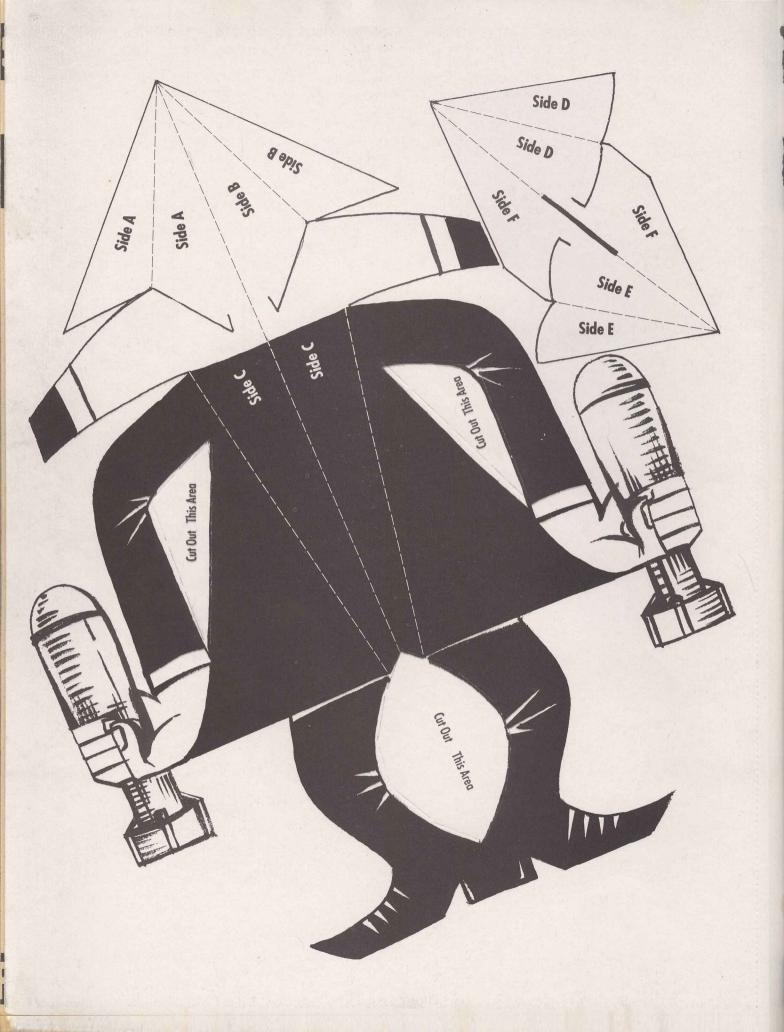
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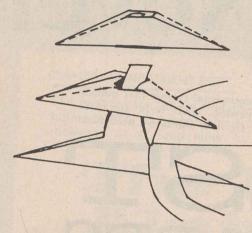




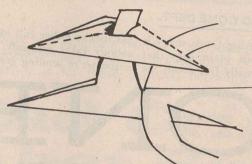


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MAD SPY VS. SPYPLANES DESIGNED BY HUGH McMAHON



**5.** Fold over the hat flaps along the dotted lines, side D to D and E to E. Fold the Hat-Brim along the center dotted line, side F to F. Now try saying "Hat-Brim" five times fast as you run around a table!



**6.** Slip the Hat-Brim shape you just folded over the upper hat shape already on the spy's head. Secure flaps E and D to the upper Hat Shape as sort of shown!

7. Fold both arms down and the bombs (or knives) up along the dotted lines. Now take a break and enjoy a nice refreshing drink... you've earned it!

8. Your MAD SPY VS. SPYPLANE is now ready to:

A) fly like the wind!

B) hang from your ceiling with tape and thread!

C) crumple up and toss right in the old recycling bin marked "paper"!

Flying Tips: Changing the angle of the Spyplane's arms, knives or bombs will change its flight pattern! The Spyplanes fly best in open spaces and when thrown upward during launches! A little adhesive tape on the Spyplane's nose will help protect it in case of sudden loss of altitude! A little adhesive tape on your nose will make you look very silly! If you're unhappy with the way your Spyplanes fly, contact your regional offices of the FAA, the CIA or the AMA (only if a spy is injured during flight)!



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#### ECCCH-TRANEOUS MATTER DEPT.

Every once in a while, MAD buys an article from a writer, puts it into the works, and then decides not to publish it for a variety of reasons . . . like f'rinstance it started off great, but ended up dull after a while . . . or the premise was valid, but the satirical point

# SOME MA You Never

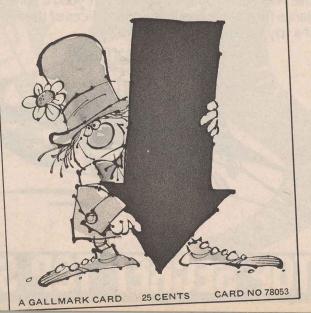
#### THE VERSE IS YET TO COME DEPT.

The trouble with Greeting Cards today is that they're either full of mushy sentimental rhymes that nobody believes, or they're just plain gags that nobody takes seriously. What's needed, MAD feels, are cards that express how we really feel about the person we're sending greetings to. In other words, we need some

# HONESI GREETING CARDS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

I could have picked a birthday card With lines that ooze and gush-A card to fill your heart anew With love, delight and mush. But sentiments in poetry On you, my friend, are lost! The only thing you'll want to see Is what the darn thing costs!



# Just To Say Hello



My sending you a card this way May seem to have no reason; It's not to honor any day Or celebrate a season; The only motive that I've got Is fear, because I lack The strength to not send any cards And therefore get none back.

of departure fell apart . . . or the Editor was stoned when he accepted it, and he regretted it the minute he sobered up. In any case, over the years, we've collected quite a few of these Unpublished Articles, and now we're getting rid of them by presenting this quick look at . . .

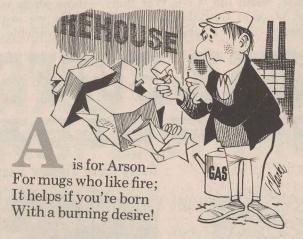


# ARTICIES Got To See WRITER: FRANK JACOBS

#### CAPITAL PUNISHMENT DEPT.

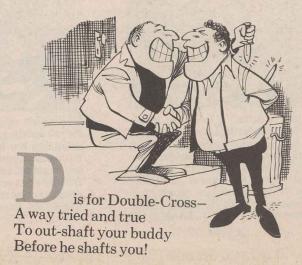
The newspapers tell us that many criminals and syndicate members are passing their knowledge from father to son. But what about the future law-breakers who are *not* so lucky as to have gangster or a racketeer or a hired killer for a father? It is for these deprived hoodlums of tomorrow that we

### The Mad Crime Alphabet Book



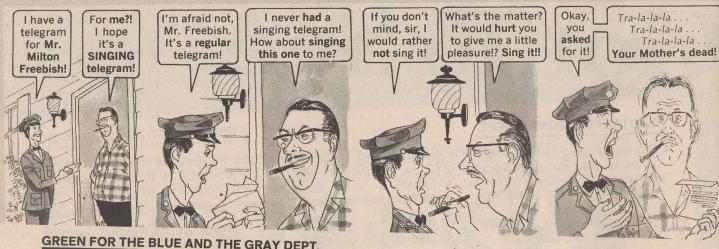








#### THE LIGHTE



#### GREEN FOR THE BLUE AND THE GRAY DEPT.

Do you know that even though there is a war in Vietnam, and fighting in the Middle East, there is a

large group of people who couldn't care less. These characters are only interested in a war that was fought over 100 years ago! We're talking, of course, about the "Civil War Buffs"—those idiots who think that the last great battle of the world took place at Gettysburg in 1863. Recently we saw a brochure offering items of interest to these fanatics. So let's take a look at what's available in

An Exciting Audio Memoir



"Call To Battle"—a new Audio Memoir album, features John Wayne reciting the names and serial numbers of the Union 3rd Corps on 3 12-inch LPs. More than 11,500 names from Ahab, Horace to Zuch, Myron. Mr. Wayne is accompanied by William Steinberg and the Pittsburgh Symphony, with the Robert Shaw Chorale. Mono: \$6.98 Stereo: \$17.98

Realistic Civil War Game



Everyone will enjoy playing "Slaughter," the new realistic game that recreates the entire Civil War for the enthusiast and his friends. Handsomely boxed in a railway freight car, each set contains enough arms for a four-year war. Real uniforms, rifles, cannon, mortars and cavalry horses, plus Official Rules and a pair of dice. \$250,000.00 Gettysburg Jigsaw Puzzle



This fantastic new jigsaw puzzle is a detailed, full-color, life-size replica of the famed Battle of Gettysburg site, with more than 24 million interlocking pieces. Manufactured by Blue and Gray Enterprises, it is an item that every Civil War buff should own, providing he has time on his hands and a flat surface of 2,543 acres. \$15,000.00

A Hair From Grant's Beard

Framed 14 K Uniform Button

A Real Civil War Veteran





#### WINDSHIELD VIPERS DEPT.

In most States, a car must have an inspection sticker on its windshield before it is allowed on the road. These stickers show that the car has been inspected for such inconsequential items as effective brakes and working headlights. However, MAD feels that there are a lot more important items in cars these days, and that these should be inspected too. To show you what we're driving at, here are some

### MAD AUTOMOB INSPECTION STICKERS

#### **GLOVE COMPARMENT INSPECTION**

The glove compartment of this vehicle has been inspected for the following required contents:

- MINIMUM OF SIX MISFOLDED ROAD MAPS
- NO ROAD MAP OF OWNER'S STATE AMONG ABOVE
- ✓ 1 KEY TO GLOVE COMPARTMENT DOOR LOCK
- 1 COIN DISPENSER FOR TOLLS, WITH NO COINS
- **✓ 1 STAINED, TORN AUTOMOBILE REGISTRATION**
- 17 MATCHBOOKS WITH NO MATCHES
- 1 STALE OR MELTED CANDY BAR
- 1 KLEENEX DISPENSER WITH NO TISSUES
- 1 DIRTY RAG
- 3 CAR WASH CLUB CARDS WITH ONE PUNCH
- A MINIMUM OF 25 TIGERINOS, SUNNY DOLLARS, SAFETY SIGNS, AMERICANA BILLS, PLAYING CARDS AND OTHER GASOLINE COMPANY GIVE-**AWAY GIMMICKS**
- NO GLOVES

VIOLATIONS: I ROAD MAP FOUND PROPERLY FOLDED! OWNER ON

#### DASHBOARD LITTER INSPECTION

The dashboard of this vehicle has been inspected for required litter by a duly licensed State Dashboard Litter Inspector, and has been found to contain the following:

- 1. DANGLING ORNAMENTS:
  - One pair squashed baby shoes

One shrunken head (poor imitation)

POINTS AWARDED . 4

2. STANDING FIGURES:

One bust of Alfred E. Neuman (damaged)

POINTS AWARDED . . . O

3. CONTAINERS:

One ash tray from 1960 Nixon-For-President Campaign Headquarters

POINTS AWARDED ... 5

#### 4. BANNERS and/or PENNANTS

Fourth Prize Ribbon from 1957 Butte. Montana, Culinary Arts Exposition

POINTS AWARDED . .

TOTAL POINTS REQUIRED: 9 TOTAL POINTS AWARDED: 11

#### WAY OFF-BROADWAY DEPT.

Millions of people would like to make Show Business their career. Unfortunately, most of them don't have enough talent. Then again, many of them have no talent at all. Naturally, the ones with no talent at all go right to the top in Show Business. But what about those people with just a minimum of talent? Well, there's a place for them too . . . not exactly IN Show Business, but performing for the public in . . .

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# ON THE FRINGE OF

Get the picture? Okay ... here's a job for someone who wants to work with the big names in Show Biz ...

That looks pretty good . . . but now let's try it with Liz over on the right and Dick on the left!





ARTIST: GEORGE WOODBRIDGE

Or if you've always wanted to appear on TV ...

Good morning, up there in 2-R! Let me first ask how you are! So far, there's no mail for you! Is there something I can do?





Or sing in the "Chorus"...

Neuman's Trucking really stinks! The bosses are a bunch of finks! Where's our lousy five-buck hike? Till we get it . . . Fight! Fight! Fight! All right, Miss Phillips, let's do another take.
And this time, try not to show so much sympathy.
Remember, you are aware of their pain and sorrow, and you feel for them . . . but you cannot allow yourself to get too involved.

I understand.



## SHOW BUSINESS

And if you've always dreamed of finally arriving on "Broadway," here's the perfect job for you...

It's been a long, hard haul . . . but this is it, Ladies and Gentlemen . . . Broadway! Street of a million lights and a broken heart for every one!



Change here for the B.M.T., the I.R.T. and the shuttle to Grand Central! All aboard! Watch the doors . . .

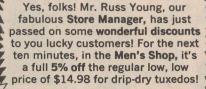


WRITER: DICK DE BARTOLO

Maybe you feel you have the voice for broadcasting the latest news...

Ladies and gentlemen, we interrupt our program of soft music to bring you this special bulletin! Mr. Russ Young has just passed on!





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Maybe you've always dreamed of singing for the public. If so, here's the job for you...

Mrs. Irving Green, of Atlantic Avenue,
Here's a telegram that I want to sing to you:
Your nephew Joe is very sick—
So kindly telephone him quick—
Mrs. Irving Green . . .
Of At-lan-tic Av-yennn-uuuuee!



And if you've always dreamed of being funny-of being the clown ...

If you want honesty, I'm your man!
If you want sincerity, I'm your man!
If you want someone who knows what
graft and corruption is all about,
I'm your man . . .





I want to thank my friends, my relatives and especially my dear sweet Husband for remembering my birthday . . .





BERG'S-EYE VIEW DEPT.

### THE LIGHTER SIDE OF...

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# **3 6 5 5**

ARTIST & WRITER: DAVE BERG

Vivian, I'd like you to meet my dear old friend, Charlie McGilla! Excuse me, but this "dear old friend" of yours is NOT named Charlie McGilla! It's Al Glinker! Er—uh...of course it is! How could I—Marty Finster—be so scatter-brained?!? Well...!'ll see you around, Charlie...I mean, AL...!! Wow! You ARE bad at names! You can't even remember your OWN name! You told him it was Marty Finster! Your name is Milton Blung . . . remember?

I know my own name!!

But I'd much rather he think Marty Finster is a klutz . . . instead of ME!!

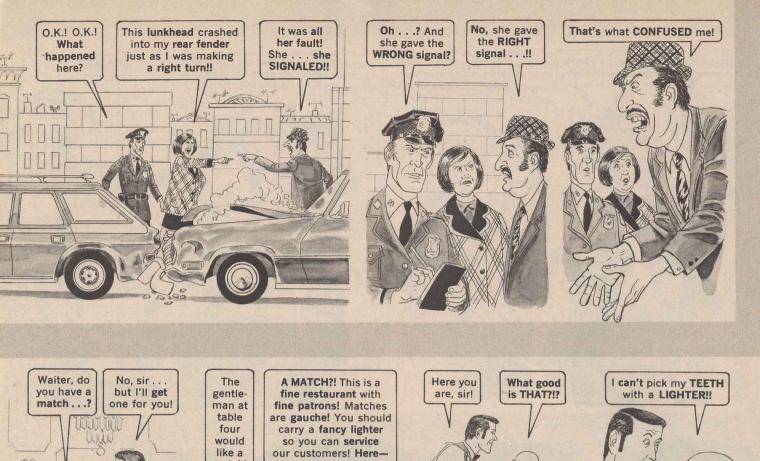




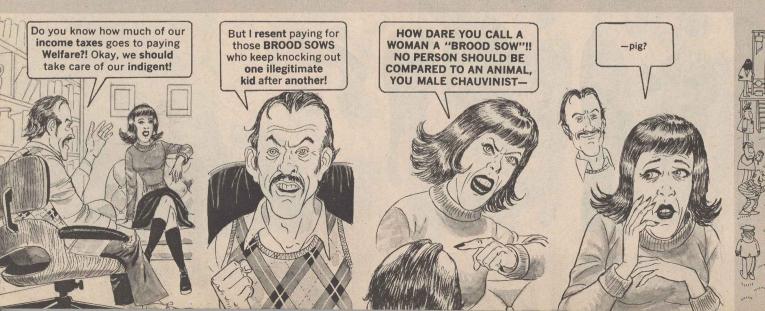






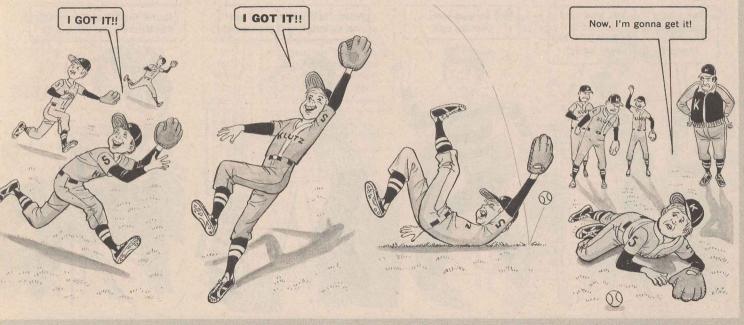










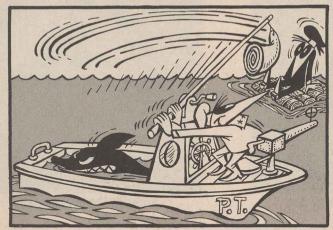


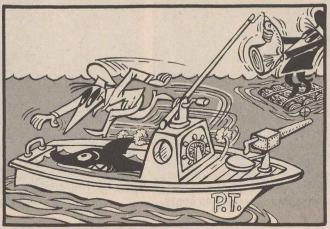


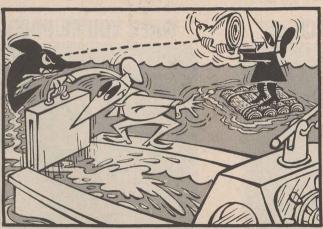














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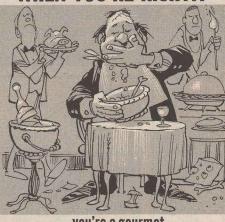
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#### WHEN YOU'RE POOR.



... you're a glutton.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you're a gourmet.



... you breed kids like rabbits.

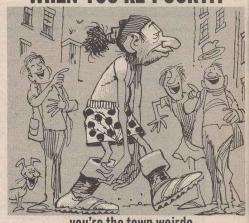
#### **HEN YOU'RE POOR**



... you throw your money away on booze.



... you have a well-stocked bar.

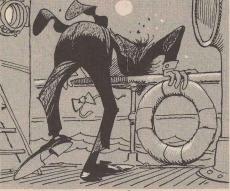


... you're the town weirdo.



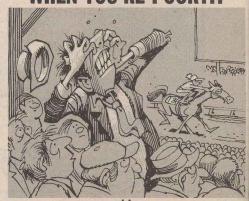
...you vomit.

#### HEN YOU'RE RICH.



... you succumb to a sudden attack of nausea.

#### WHEN YOU'RE POOR...



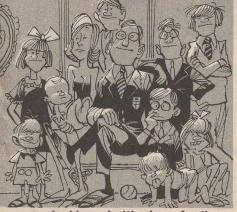
... you gamble away your salary at the track.



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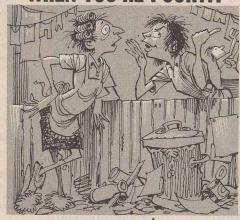
WRITER: FRANK JACOBS

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you're blessed with a large family.

#### WHEN YOU'RE POOR...



... you gossip.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you bring each other up to date.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you're the local eccentric.

#### WHEN YOU'RE POOR...



... you own a mutt.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you possess a mixed breed.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...



... you have a bad day, handicapping.

#### WHEN YOU'RE POOR...



... you're a punk who's a menace on the highway, and should be locked up.

#### WHEN YOU'RE RICH...

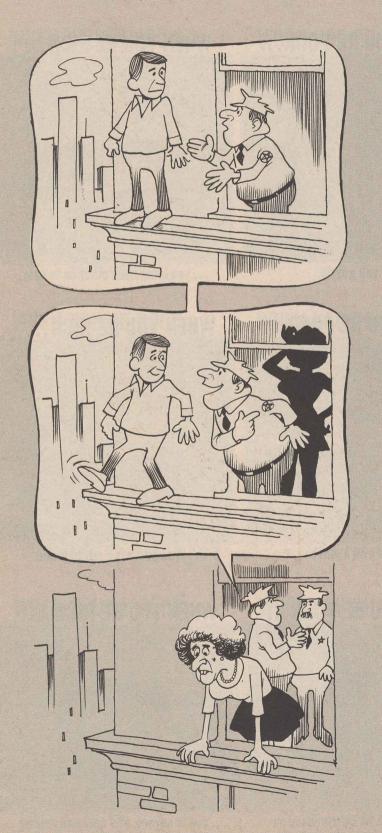


... you're sowing wild oats and getting some devilishness out of your system.

INCIDENT REPLAY DEPT.

# HAT'S

ARTIST: BOB CLARKE





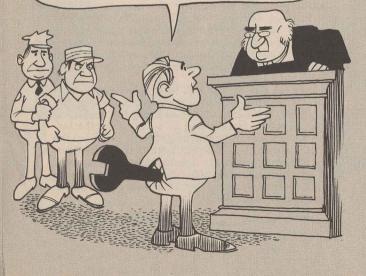
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WRITER: DON EDWING

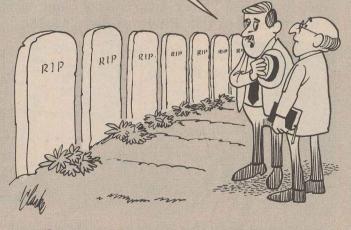












#### **PUNT OF VIEW DEPT.**

When a sports reporter covers a football game, he doesn't mess around. He watches all the action, keeps track of all the plays, then steals the notes of another sports reporter and writes up the game in typical newspaper sports section style:

#### **KOKOMO WHIPS MUNCIE 68-67 BEHIND KICKING OF RINGWORT**

KOKOMO, Ind. (AP)—The educated toe of Zack Ringwort today gave the Kokomo Kangaroos a 68 to 67 victory over the Muncie Mincers. The win assured the Kangaroos undisputed possession of fifth



Action shot of what it must have looked like today as Ringwort kicked winning 75-yard field goal, taken last week at practice.

place in the North Central Indiana Pro Football League.

In a record-breaking performance, the Blonde Booter amazed the 85,000 onlookers and the national TV audience by kicking 17 field goals, the last one with but five seconds remaining in the final quarter.

seconds remaining in the final quarter.

Trailing 67 to 65 on their own 10-yard line, the Kangaroos appeared to have lost the game. Then came the key play of the afternoon, a personal foul called against Muncie linebacker Gus Faversham for kneeing the referee, who was taking a yardage measurement.

The 15-yard penalty brought Kokomo to its own 25 and set the stage for Ringwort's final kick, a mighty 75-yarder that

split the uprights.

#### **ADVERTISING AGE**

# Footballer's Feat Pays Off In Endorsements, Television Pact

On Monday, NBC announced it was paying Ringwort \$70,000 for the rights to air a musical dramatization of his life story. The epic, tentatively titled "I Get A Kick Out Of Me," will star Paul Anka as Ringwort and the Robert Shaw Chorale as his teammates.

Other negotiations afoot include endorsements for "Crummies Bran Yummies," "Wembley's Denture Cleaner," and "Acme Blast Furnaces." A contract to endorse "Ivory Soap" fell through when it was discovered that Ringwort doesn't bathe.



Zack Ringwort shaves after game. Like other "Commercial-Making" athletes, Ringwort does not need to use a mirror any more, due to having shaved before TV cameras so often.

The record-breaking 17 field goals kicked by Kokomo's Zack Ringwort last week have already netted the Blonde Booter more than \$100,000.

Immediately after the game, Ringwort signed a \$35,000 contract with "No-swet Foot Deodorant," allowing his right foot to be featured in a series of full-color ads in Life, Look and Harper's Bazaar.

#### POPULAR ASTROLOGY

### HOROSCOPE PREDICTS FOOTBALLER'S FATE

Astrologer Omar Pincus was not the least bit surprised when Kokomo football star Zack Ringwort kicked his 17 record-breaking field goals last month.

kicked his 17 record-breaking field goals last month. "I've been expecting it," explained Pincus. "You see, Ringwort is a Sagittarius with his moon rising in Pisces while Mars is descending in Leo and Venus is

marking time in Cancer."

"Lucky for him the football used in the game was a Gemini and the goal-posts were Aquarius. On the other hand, if Kokomo had been playing the Rams (Aries), it would have ended in a tie (Libra, the balance). Then again, Ringwort might have ended up the goat (Capricorn) had Kokomo been playing the Scorpions (Scorpio), since he would have missed every field goal try and probably finished as the team Aquarius (The Water Bearer). That is, of course, if you believe all this Taurus (Bull)!"



The story at the left, of course, is aimed at sports fans who read the sports sections of newspapers. But what about publications that appeal to other kinds of readers? How do they manage to scrounge up a story from the same football game which will interest their readership? You don't know? You'd like us to show you! What a coincidence! We just happen to have, as this next article...

# AS COVERED BY OTHE

ARTIST: GEORGE WOODBRIDGE

#### MODERN MEDICINE

#### Medical Musings

By Harlow Wolfram, M.D.

A classic example of a dislocated pelvis was the highlight of the recent football game between the Kokomo Kangaroos and Muncie Mincers.

While attempting a yardage measurement in the final quarter, referee Melvin Mishkin received a sharp blow in the ilium of his ossa innominata. The strength of the blow was attributed to the well-developed quadriceps femoris of Muncie linebacker Gus Faversham.



X-RAY OF REFEREE MISHKIN SHOWING DISLOCATED PELVIS.

The extent of Mishkin's injury was suspected immediately when he was observed lying on the field, in a state of severe shock, unable to rise and his face contorted in marked pain.

Happily, it was announced the next day that he had, indeed, suffered a dislocated pelvis, which confirmed my earlier diagnosis.

#### HAIRDRESSERS WEEKLY

### Oooooooh, Ehat

Ringwort! of The Ritzy



Those of us who saw the Kokomo-Muncie pro football game in color went simply wild over Zack Ringwort's adorable new hair styling.

What a treat it was when his



Ravishing Ringwort

helmet was knocked off by those nasty fellows on the other team. His wavy coiffure, set off by that stunning cowlick, was simply breath-taking. They don't call him the Blonde Booter for nothing!

And his uniform was too much to be believed, the way it complemented his hair coloring. I mean, when he trotted onto the field wearing that gorgeous chartreuse jersey and those honey-gold pants, we were all tingling with excitement.

I can't for the life of me remember which team won the game, but who cares about a silly old score when there's somebody like the Blonde Booter to look at. Yummy!!

#### OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE CENTRAL INDIANA STATE REFORMATORY

#### MAN OF THE WEEK

This week's honors go to Harry Snavely (local 592), scoreboard supervisor at Kokomo Stadium. During last week's Kokomo-Muncie game, won by Kokomo, 68 to 67, Harry was kept mighty busy changing the scoreboard lights for the 85,000 spectators.
"I never seen such a high-scoring

game," commented Harry. "In the second quarter, when it was 33 to 31, I could see it was gonna be a real hard day's work. But I had a responsibility to all those fans. So I did the only thing I thought fair—I threatened to walk out unless they paid me double time plus a \$50 bonus for hazard work."

Thanks to Harry's initiative, he was granted his request, plus extra sick leave, a three-month paid vacation, and \$500 in fringe benefits. We know all of our readers will applaud Harry's efforts, which are in the highest tradition of honest and fair Unionism.



"MAN OF THE WEEK" SNAVELY

#### NATIONAL ENOUIRER

#### Wife Feeds Kids To Tropical Fish While Hubby Watches Football Game

While football fan Louis Ebbenfletzer was watching the Kokomo Kangaroos edge out the Muncie Mincers, 68 to 67, on television, his wife, Margo, was dropping their three children in Ebbenfletzer's tropical fish tank full

of man-eating Piranhas.

"I was so thrilled by Zack Ringwort's record-breaking 17 field goals that I didn't pay any attention to the screams coming from the other room," said Ebbenflet-

zer.
"Actually, it was a mean thing for my wife to do," he explained. "My kids were all football fans and they would have gotten a big kick out of watching Ringwort's fantastic performance."

### **BIG DAY FOR OUR GUS** AT BIG FOOTBALL GAME

Inmates will be pleased to hear that recent parolee Gus Faversham (3 to 10, armed robbery) was prominently involved in last week's Kokomo-Muncie football game.

Although Faversham's Muncie squad was nosed out, 68 to 67, our Gus did his part for the Mincers when he kneed the referee with only five seconds left in the game.

Those of you who know Gus will not be surprised to hear that the referee had to be carried off the field.



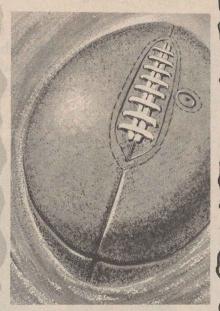




Gus is having a turn terri terrific year in pro football. Not only is he leading his team in personal fouls, but there is a good chance he will be thrown out of the league.

#### POPULAR PHOTOGRAPHY

#### **ACTION SHOT** OF THE ISSUE



Titled "Poetry in Flight," this exposure of Kokomo footballer Zack Ringwort's game-winning 75-yard kick was taken at 1/1200th of a second at f. 1.2 with a 305mm Spitz-Grommish lens, using Schlachrome film. The angle captured the ball on its downward flight, just before it shattered the photographer's Lummox X-14 Super-Speed Duoflex.

#### PLAYBOY



#### PLAYBOY AFTER HOURS

Pièce de Resistance: An observer at the Kokomo-Muncie pro football game reports watching a grandstand Casanova trying, with no visible success, to embrace his shapely, but uncooperative, companion. After one especially ardent attempt, the obstinate lass responded with a resounding slap to the Lothario's face. At the same moment, the public address system, commenting on a particular play on the field, blared out: "Penalty of fifteen yards for pass interference."

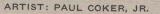
#### **CASKET & SUNNYSIDE** THE UNDERTAKER'S MONTHLY

Editor's Note:

We regret to inform our readers that we can no longer report on professional football games. Due to the lack of fatal injuries, as witnessed in the recent Kokomo-Muncie game, our athletic correspondents have been instructed to restrict their reporting to the only interesting sport left in America-boxing.

#### SPOOKING FROM PICTURES DEPT.

Hey, gang, it's time once again for MAD's nutty old "Cliché Monster" game. Here's how it works: Take any familiar phrase or colloquial expression, give it an eerie setting so you create a new type monster, and you're playing it. Mainly, you're . . .



WRITER: MAY SAKAMI



**Reviving an OLD CUSTOM** 



Cooking Up A ALIBI



**Initiating A PROGRAM** 



**Batting An IDEA Around** 



**Casing A JOINT** 



Hurling An INVECTIVE



**Driving A MEAN BARGAIN** 



Ushering In An ERA



**Restoring A CONFIDENCE** 



Chalking Up A VICTORY



Meeting a CRYING NEED



**Catching FORTY WINKS** 



**Drawing A BLANK** 



Dangling A PARTICIPLE



Going Through A PHASE



**Redressing A WRONG** 

#### THE EYES OF TAXES ARE UPON YOU DEPT.

Every year at this time, tons of mail pour into the Internal Revenue Service offices all over the country. And we all know what's in those millions of envelopes. But since we have an inquisitive nature (which means we're down-

### LETTERS FROM THE



Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

District Director

Mrs. Mimi Lafarge Henderson Cartwright Prescott Wilson Roberts 66 Vamp Lane

Grossepoint, Michigan Dear Mrs. Lafarge Henderson Cartwright Prescott Wilson Roberts: Yes, the Government does permit certain deduction allowances for

uniforms. But it is our opinion that your Wedding Gown does not qualify, even though you use it periodically.

The Internal Revenue Service



Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service District Director

Mr. Clem Lewis Route #3, RFD Tomahawk, Wyoming

Dear Mr. Lewis:

We think it's wonderful that you have been married to Mrs. Lewis for 47 years. Infortunately, a wife does not qualify or a depreciation allowance.

Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service



Department of the Treasury **Internal Revenue Service** 

District Director

Mr. John McGurk c/o Kelsey's Bar & Grill 13344 Borax Street Phoenix, Arizona

Dear Mr. McGurk:

We are sorry to inform you that a joint return does not mean you may deduct everyone in the joint.

> Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service

District Du

Webber and Webber 12385 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

Of course business lunches are deductible Dear Messrs. Webber: for Income Tax purposes. But one partner taking the other out to lunch on alternating days throughout the year is not allowable.

Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service WIDSSOIL SIL

Hevenue Service District Director

Mr. Jerome Batchler

30 Lincoln Road Miami Beach, Florida

Dear Mr. Batchler:

We will need a fuller explanation regarding your relationship with Miss Zelda Funzie. There is no regulation that allows you to deduct someone who is "just like a

> Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service

Harris Maryland 6108 Pennsylvania Road Kansas, Rhode Island Dear Mr. Maryland:

We are sorry to inform you that we must we are sorry to inform you that we must disallow your deduction of \$688.99 for a disallow your deduction of pood. 30 roll and 23" Color TV set to replace your old new 23" Color TV set to replace your old 12" Black-and-White set because your 12" Boctor advised you to avoid eyestrain.

The Internal Revenue Service Sincerely,

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

District Director Grandma Mosey Wilkins Farm Wilkins, Vermont

Dear Grandma Mosey:

Thank you for the apple pie, the cookies, and the strawberry preserves. But we still would like a check. After all, you DID earn \$264,329.00 from those "little paintings you do."

Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service



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Interna District Director

Mr. Norman Bubblebrook 100 Steinmetz Street Gluckstern, Iowa

Dear Mr. Bubblebrook: We are disallowing your Medical Expense deduction of \$8,759.22. We appreciate the fact that your slipped disc causes you some pain from time to time. Nevertheless, we do think that you should be able to find a qualified Doctor closer to your home than San Juan, Puerto Rico.

The Internal Revenue Service



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right nosey), we've often wondered what's in the millions of envelopes that pour OUT of the Internal Revenue Service offices all over the country. We imagine that this is just about what we'd find if we could examine the . . .

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**CANDERS** 

DICK DE BARTOLO & DON EPSTEIN



Department of the Treasury

BY "IN YB

**Internal Revenue Service** District Director

Miss Viola Messy 21 Idiot Street Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Messy:

You are correct in assuming that gifts are exempt from Federal Income Taxes. However, we do not agree that the check you receive from your employer every Friday for \$131.72 is a gift, even though he always says it is.

> Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service

George Buttkvetch Professor of Anatomy Northwestern University Evanston, Illionis

Dear Professor Buttkvetch: We realize that there are certain educational materials which you must have in order to teach Anatomy. But we do not feel that Subscriptions to Playboy, Pentthat subscriptions to riayboy, house, Dude and Gent are among them.

The Internal Revenue Service District

Mr. Guiseppi Spaggatini Boss of the Brooklyn Waterfront Brooklyn, N.Y.

We suspect that there is an error in your Dear Mr. Spaggatini: we suspect that there is an error in your recent Tax Return, since you indicate that you only earn \$2,000 per annum. We would like to point out that "per annum" not "per DAY!" means "per year" . . . not "per DAY!" "nternal Revenue Service

Sincerely,

Department of the Treasury **Internal Revenue Service** 

District Director Mr. Herb Wolffe

Swinging Singles Apartments Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Wolffe:

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S, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE

Whatever you spend on Doctors in hospitals is deductible. But whatever you spend on Nurses visiting your "pad" is

Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service



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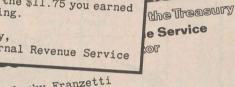
District Director

Miss Jennifer Hansen c/o Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen 265 Gripe Road Portland, Ohio

Dear Miss Hansen:

Even though your Daddy claims that we take away every penny we can get our hands on, we are happy to inform you that we do not want any part of the \$11.75 you earned last year baby sitting.

> Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service





Mr. Lucky Franzetti Gauche Casino Las Vegas, Nevada

Dear Mr. Franzetti: We are sorry, but you will have to send us a check for the full amount. We are not permitted to "roll you for it, double or nothing.

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The Internal Revenue Service

Mr. Mark David Nietsdlef Apt. H-15 71 East 200th Street New York, New York

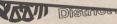
Dear Mr. Nietsdlef:

It is true that every year, the Government pays millions of dollars to farmers for not growing wheat. However, it is not possible for you to deduct \$250 for not growing it in your window box.

> Sincerely, The Internal Revenue Service



Treasury rvice



Miss Joyce Bergenklein Kindergarten Class 102 Finster School Gurney, New York

Dear Miss Bergenklein:

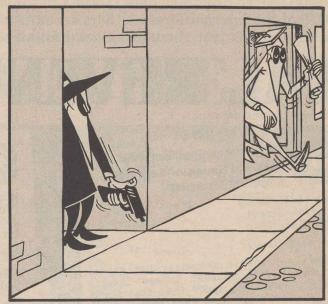
You will have to revise your list of deductions. We realize that 26 youngsters can give you one big headache, but \$831.52 for aspirin, icebags and tranquilizers cannot be considered a legitimate Professional expense.

The Internal Revenue Service



#### JOKE & DAGGER DEPT.

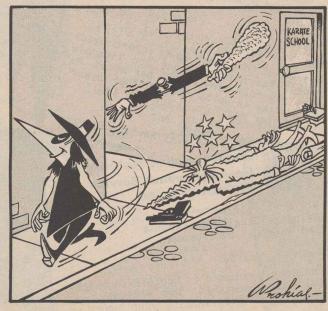












#### THE FATUOUS FIFTIES DEPT.

Have you noticed that people seem to get disgustingly nostalgic about things they weren't really very crazy about in the first place? Like the 50's? We figure that any decade that had the Korean War, the Edsel, Senator Joseph McCarthy, Davy Crockett hats, the Hula-Hoop and Pat Boone wearing fruit boots can't be ALL GOOD! And yet, the hottest show on TV these days is about this very bland, very silly decade where the biggest problem seemed to be who was making out with whom, and how fast your face would clear up. So, okay nerds. Go put on your blue suede shoes, your pedal pushers, your ankle slave bracelets and your leather jackets and get yourselves arrested for committing an idiocy while reading

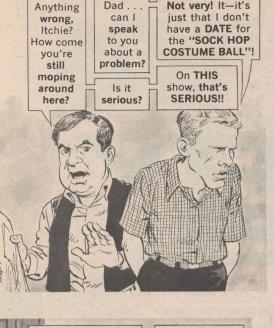




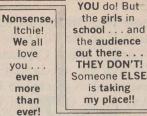
ARTIST: ANGELO TORRES

WRITER: ARNIE KOGEN









Itchie, the audience out there watches this show because they like to live in the past! They DIG **NOSTALGIA!** 

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So do I! Boy, am I nostalgic for the "good old days"!! 

HEY-YAYY! Funny, you

should ask! Since I'M

the STAR of the show

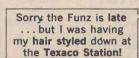
When were the "good old days"?

years ago . .when I was the Star of this show!

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What are Yeah! They move you doing my head up and down under the grease rack! HEY-YAYYYY!!



This fugitive from a leather factory is America's new "Cult Hero"!?! Tell me, WHY is the Funz so popular?!?

Because he's pure 1950! He represents the sex appeal of Elvis Presley, the charisma of Marlon Brando . . . and, in all probability, the staying

I still don't get what all the fuss is about! To me, he looks like the fashion coordinator for a rumble!

HEY-YAYY! WOAH-OHH!

The Funz'll pretend he didn't hear that remark!

Say, Funz! What's with the "Hey-yayy" and the "Woah-ohh"?

The Funz is the coolest, and that's HIS SOUND! That shows he's cool and tough!

On the other hand . . . it could be gas! That shows he drinks lots of Cokes!

How would you like a knuckle sandwich, Cullingham?!?







HEY-YAYY!! Easy, Mrs. C! The jacket STAYS ON!! Where the Funz goes, the threads go! The Funz has worn this same outfit for over three years now!

We KNOW, Funz! We've been meaning to TALK to you about that! It's starting to get a little-shall we say-GAMEY!

And how would YOU like a knuckle sandwich, Mrs. C?!?



I hope I'm not interrupting WHAT TV Show? WHAT something important, Funz! crucial turning point?

Be with you in a second. Itchie! I just wanna catch this! One of the great TV Shows of the 1950's is reaching a crucial turning point!

It's the "Mickey Mouse Club"...and I just noticed that Annette Funicello's BRA SIZE is now a lot bigger than her MOUSE EARS!



Gee, Funzie, I'm in a bind! I don't have a date for the Sock Hop Costume Ball, and I really want to go!

Cool it, Cullingham! The Funz'll get you one of HIS chicks!!

How do you do it, Funz? What's your secret ...?

Le'me tell you the Funz's philosophy about women! A woman is like a car! Check 'er out frequently, kick 'er once in a while, and keep er locked in a garage!

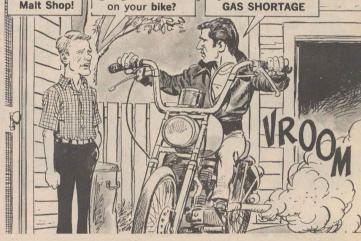
Wow! What wisdom!! And they say Adlai Stevenson is the egghead of the fifties!



· WILLIAM IN I ADDROMATE How come you're always on the move . . . always going somewhere

Man, I wanna make every second count! I hear that in 20 years, there is gonna be a terrific GAS SHORTAGE







just telling Putzie about this chick I picked up at the

Hi, fellas! I was

Yeah! A 'perfect night"! He went 0 for 9 in makeout CU CALL STATE Oh, yeah! And I'll bet YOU'RE some smooth

Hey . . . are you cruisin' for a

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Ahh, drink your soup before it clots!

Har I wish the decade would end already! de I can't stand any har more of this insane har



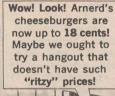




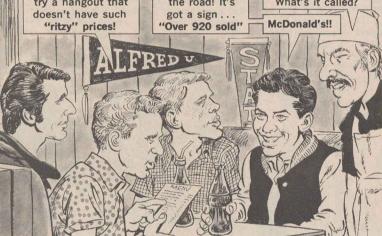








I noticed this new hamburger joint that just opened up down the road! It's got a sign . . . "Over 920 sold" Ahh! Sounds like another of those fly-by-night '50's "gimmick" places!! What's it called?













WHAT IS THE ONLY THING THAT COMPLETELY **IGNORES** THE LAW OF **GRAVITY?** 

#### HERE WE GO WITH ANOTHER RIDICULOUS

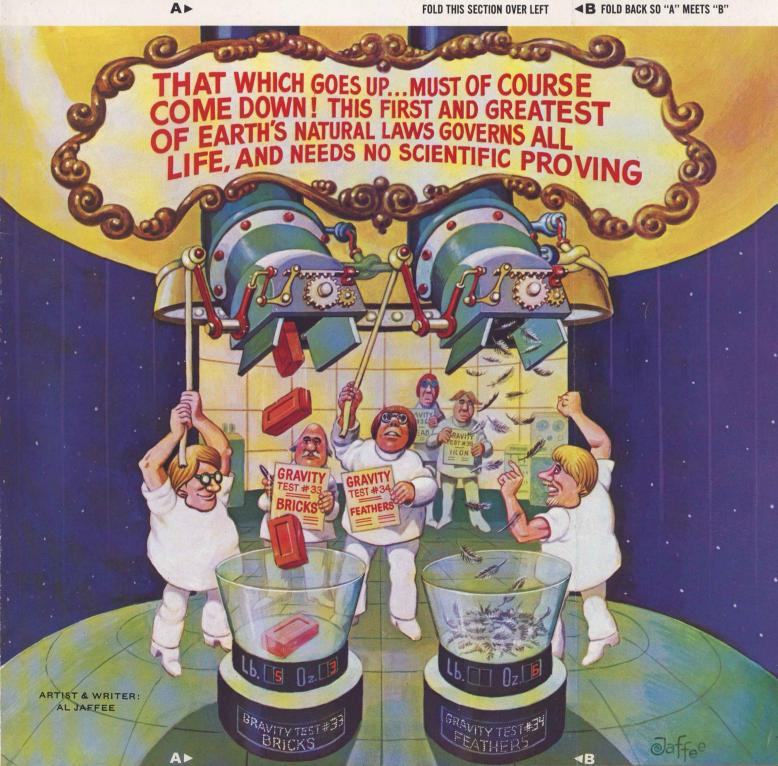
#### MAD FOLD-IN

Nothing on earth has ever defied the "Law of Gravity." Until recently, that is! Now, an amazing new development has clearly demonstrated that the "Law of Gravity" can not only be broken, it can be completely ignored as well. To find out what is doing this, fold in page as shown at the right.



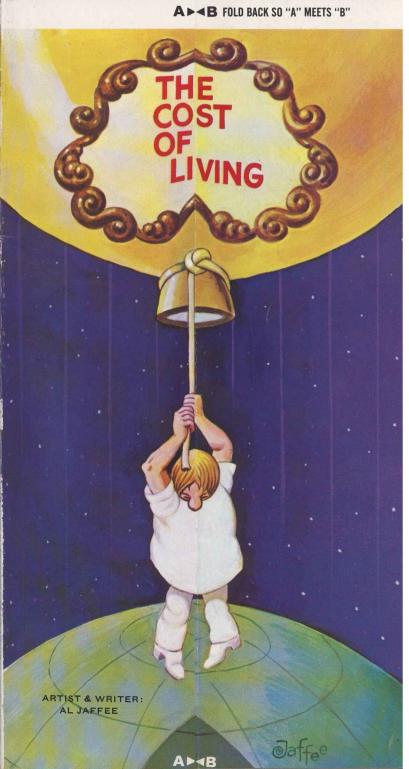
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#### THE REPLACEMENT







ARTIST: BOB CLARKE

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